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W. M. D. MALONE, } Huntville, Randolph co.
N. B. COATES, }

To those who wish to save Money.

GENTLEMEN are respectfully requested to call at the Philadelphia store, and the way we shall show them a new arrival by the steamer Wapello of ready made clothing will be pleasure for them to behold, which are as follows:

3 doz. very fine cloth dress coats,
10 doz. summer dress coats,
5 doz. sackpates do.,
12 doz. summer pants, new style,
9 doz. Prince Albert vests,
5 doz. Bombazine do. superior article,
9 doz. very fine white shirts with linen collars and bosoms,
8 doz. shirts fancy colors,
9 doz. linen collars, very fine, and a great variety of Boots, Shoes, fine Brogans, and STAPLE Dry Goods, which we shall sell so very low at the Philadelphia store as will surprise purchasers—no puff about it.

Remember our motto "no trouble to show goods." LYONS, STEINFELD & Co.
Boonville, June 8th, 1844.

REVEREND HENRICH LINEN CAMBRIC HAND KERCHIEFS. We have just received superfine and medium qualities of these goods, call and examine them at PEIXOTTO & Co.
Boonville, June 8th, 1844.

BONNETS! BONNETS! BONNETS!—Second Spring supply of very fine bonnets, latest style, just received by steamer Missouri Mail and for sale cheaper than ever at the New York store. LYONS, STEINFELD & Co.
Boonville, June 8th, 1844.

New Arrival by the Wapello. We present our best compliments to the ladies, and invite them to call at the New York store and let us have the pleasure of showing them some new fancy goods, all kinds, just received. We pledge ourselves to please them with style and prices better than any dry goods house in Boonville. LYONS, STEINFELD & Co.
Boonville, June 8th, 1844.

Queensware! Queensware!! Just received by steamer Wapello a very superior assortment of Queensware and glassware, which will be offered for sale remarkably low at the New York store. LYONS, STEINFELD & Co.
Boonville, June 8th, 1844.

Connel's Magical Pain Extractor.

Reduction four-fold in price, or nothing, if the user is not delighted with it.—An article that every family must consider indispensable, when they know its power and value, and which has heretofore been sold too high to reach all classes, has now been reduced four-fold in price, with a view that rich and poor, high and low, and in fact every human being may enjoy its comforts; and all who get it shall have the price returned to them if they are not delighted with it. We assert it without the possibility of contradiction, that all burns and scalds, and all external sores, old or fresh, and all external pains and aches, no matter where, shall be reduced to comfort by it in five minutes—saving life, limb and scar. No burn can be fatal if this is applied, unless the vitals are destroyed by the accident. It is truly magical, to appearance, in its effects. Enquire for "Connel's magical pain extractor Salve." Price 25 cents, or four times as much for 50 cents, and ten times as much for \$1.

For sale at the Drug and Book store of Dr. Wm. R. Snellson, Fayette, and also at the Drug store of Dr. A. R. Ober, Glasgow.

FLAX-SEED, TOBACCO AND HEMP.—We will pay the highest market price for flax-seed, tobacco and hemp. J. D. PERRY & Co.
Fayette, February 3d, 1844.

A FEW handsome Britannia Tea Pots for sale by SWITZLER & SMITH.
Fayette, May 18th, 1844.

Clover Seed. A quantity of Clover Seed just received and for sale by J. D. PERRY & Co.

MOUSLIN DE LAINE.—Just received a handsome assortment for sale low for cash by B. LOMBARD.
Fayette, May 11th, 1844.

PAINTED LAWNS—10 pieces painted Lawns for sale low for cash by B. LOMBARD.
Fayette, May 11th, 1844.

To Tavern and Grocery Keepers. THE subscribers would respectfully direct the attention of Tavern and Grocery Keepers to their superior and well selected stock of genuine Wines and Liquors, which they offer for sale at very reasonable prices. Also—
Fresh Lemons,
Clarified and Loaf Sugar,
Principle and Regalia Segars and Bar Fixtures.
BREMERMAN & CUNO.
Boonville, March 2d, 1844.

Just Received BROWN Domestic, Painted Buckets, Palm Leaf Hats, Spirits of Turpentine, Loaf Sugar, Tar and Lead, and for sale by JOEL PREWITT.

New Cash Wholesale Grocery. The subscribers respectfully call the attention of the public to their very extensive and choice assortment of FAMILY GROCERIES—now receiving and for sale at the lowest prices of the season. Our stock embraces an ample supply of all articles usually kept in such establishments, and as we can and will sell as low as the same articles can be purchased in the country, we respectfully invite the attention of purchasers, and look for due encouragement in an enterprise which places these important staples under command of that portion of the community to which Fayette is most convenient, at as low prices as they can be purchased at the river.

SWITZLER & SMITH.
Fayette, May 11th, 1844.

CASH ADVANCED ON TOBACCO, ON the most advantageous principle, by BREMERMAN & CUNO.
Boonville, March 2d, 1844.

BOON'S LICK TIMES.

"ERROR CEASES TO BE DANGEROUS, WHEN REASON IS LEFT FREE TO COMBAT IT."—JEFFERSON.

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FAYETTE, MISSOURI, SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 1844.

No. 24.

PEIXOTTO & Co.
OF ST. LOUIS.

On Main Street, in the Store formerly occupied by H. Mosely, Esq., Boonville.

HAVE opened a branch of their St. Louis establishment in Boonville, and now tender to purchasers such an assortment of DRY GOODS and Ladies' Shoes, as cannot fail to render satisfaction, in respect to variety, quality and price.

We only solicit the favor of a call from the public before purchasing elsewhere, as no exertion will be spared to accommodate. Our stock has been selected by a most competent judge from the best sources, and will be found to embrace an extraordinary, Fashionable and tasty collection of goods; part of which are

French Printed Lawns, various styles and patterns,

Balzerine Lawns, all wool,
Mouslin de Laines,
Alpaca Lustres,
New Style Lawns and Jaconets,
Stripe and plaid Silks,
Earlston Gingham,
Welsh Gauze Flannels,
New Style Spring Chintz,
Crape de Laines,
Barege dresses, 4-4 Green Barege,
Spring Style Silk Shawls, rich fringes,
New Style Barege Shawls,
Jaconet and Cambric Muslins,
Book, Mull, Swiss and Lace Muslins,
4-4 Irish Linens, Linen Cambric Hdks.,
French Cambric Dimity,
Furniture Dimity, Silk Pocket Hdks.,
Russian and Scotch Diapers,
8-4 by 10-4 Linen Table Cloths,
Fancy Linen and Worsted Damask Table

Cloths, Laces, Collars, Chimezzetts, Corsets, Jet

Ornaments, Suspenders and a variety of Trimmings,
Hosiery and Gloves, Stockings of all qualities.

Our assortment of this article is complete both for Ladies' and Gentlemen's wear; best Bajou Kid Gloves, also Ladies' Shoes and Gaiter Boots, fine and medium qualities.

DOMESTICS.—4-4 Brown Sheetings, Checks, Gingham, Cottonades, Chambray's, Kentucky Jeans and Satinets. All of which will be sold cheap for Cash at the above establishment.

PEIXOTTO & Co., Main Street.
Boonville, May 18th, 1843. 10-6m

Hats.

JUST received a lot of Gents Leghorn, Cassimere, Molestin and Russia Hats, for sale low for cash, by B. LOMBARD.

Fayette, May 25th, 1844.

Iron and Steel Nails, Castings, &c.

The attention of consumers of Iron is invited to our complete assortment of Iron, Steel, Blacksmith Tools, &c.

Bar, Band and Horse Shoe Iron,
Axe, Hand and Pick Axes,
Plough Slabs and Wings,
A. B. E. B. Cast and German Steel,
Bellevue, Anvils and Vices,
Files, &c., &c.

Nails from 3d to 20d,
Fence and wrought nails, &c., &c., for sale at the lowest prices, wholesale or retail by

SWITZLER & SMITH.
Fayette, May 11th, 1844.

The Piles and all Sores.

Hays' Liniment is known now to thousands, as a most extraordinary remedy for these afflictions. It is impossible to tell in a newspaper, in such a manner as to obtain full credence, the effects and benefits of this article, so general is the practice of advertising of extolling articles of no merit. Such personal references will be given, as to bring conviction to the minds of the most unbelieving. Will sufferers only ask among their friends, if they have not heard of or known its effects; and if they do not hear it more warmly praised than any other salve, let them not get it. All fancy or exaggeration is positively excluded from these statements, and it is determined to say nothing of its merits but what could be fully proved by a host of witnesses, in any court of justice. Will you look at the thing and the proofs at the Drug and Book store of Dr. Wm. R. Snellson, Fayette, or at the Drug store of Dr. A. R. Ober, Glasgow, where it may be had?

LOOK OUT.—Some swindlers have counterfeited this article, and put it up with various devices. Do not be imposed upon. One thing only will protect you—it is the name of COM-STOCK & Co.; that name must be always on the wrapper, or you are cheated. Do not forget it. Take this direction with you, and test by that, or never buy for it is impossible for any other to be true or genuine. SOLOMON HAYS.

Fayette, June 8th, 1844. 12-1y

BOYS' CAPS.—Just received a very superior lot of boys' fancy velvet and cloth caps by PEIXOTTO & Co.
Boonville, June 29th, 1844.

Great Attraction!

NEW GOODS.

THE subscriber is now opening, in addition to his former stock, a large and well selected stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, at the Chee Cash Store, in the house formerly occupied by R. H. Law.

Printed Lawns and Cambrics,
Printed Jaconets,
French Muslins, latest style,
Balzerine,
Fancy Fig'd Brochea Silk,
Grodinap
Grodin Swiss
Light Prints, latest style,
Mouslin de Laines,
Jaconet and Cambric Muslin,
Ladies' Fancy Cravats,
Linen Cambric Hdks.,
Black Silk and Mohair Thule,
Cloths and Cassimeres,
Black Satin Vesting,
Marseilles do.
Cap, Neck and Bonnet Ribbon,
White, Blue, Pink and Black Crape,
Florence braid Bonnets, latest style,
English Straw
Gimp and Leghorn Hats,
Men and Boy's Palm Leaf Hats,
Also, a splendid assortment of Queensware,
Boots, Shoes, Hats and Groceries, all of which will be sold at extremely low prices for Cash.

BENJ. LOMBARD.
Fayette, May 25th, 1844.

SMITH & BROTHER, are receiving by almost every arrival, a large and well selected stock of Goods, which will be sold at very small profits for cash, or merchantable produce.

Glasgow, April 13th, 1844.

NO TARIFF ON PRINTED CALICOES.—A few very neat French and English prints, without the Tariff, and a large assortment of American calicoes, all styles, for sale very low by

SWITZLER & SMITH.
Fayette, May 11th, 1844.

Great Reduction of Prices!!
Drug and Book Store.

FAYETTE, MO.



D. R. W. R. SNELSON, successor to Dr. J. A. Talbot, respectfully informs his friends and the public that he intends keeping constantly on hand, at the old stand, a large and full assortment of fresh Drugs and Medicines, Paints, Oils, Dyestuffs; also a variety of patent Medicines, Surgeon's Instruments, Shop Furniture, Glass and Glassware, Chemical Apparatus and Chemical Tests, Crucibles and Retorts, Sulphate of Quinine, Precipitated Extract of Bark, Human Skeletons, Turpentine, Brushes, &c., &c.

Also, a very large and varied assortment of BOOKS AND STATIONERY,

comprising Law, Medicine, Theology, Miscellaneous, and almost every variety of SCHOOL BOOKS, among which are Greek, Latin, French and Spanish; Blank Books and Novels; Paper of all qualities; Bibles, Testaments, Prayers, Hymns, Music, Albums, Osborn's genuine water colors, Toy do.; Wall and Bordering Paper, Drawing and Rice Paper, &c., &c.

A few marked Phenological Busto of approved models.

All of the above articles will be sold at a great reduction over former prices, for cash, or approved credit.

Fayette, Jan. 13th, 1844. 44-1f

"Variety's the Spice of Life."

CREWELS of all shades and colors; Bugle, bead and plain silk Gimps and Fringe; White and colored Furniture Fringe; Hooks and Eyes; Thimbles; Needles and Pins; Common and fine horn, and Buffalo dressing Combs; Hair, Clothes and Shoe Brushes; Tortoiseshell, Tuck, Twist and side Combs; Ivory fine combs; Pearl, Lasting, Brocade and Metal Buttons; Taylor's Spool thread; Eyelets and Corset Laces; Jointed dolls of various ages; Superior shaving soap and glasses; Razors; Strops and Brushes; German Harps; India Rubber Balls; Percussion Caps; Patent thread; Sewing Silk and shoe thread; Cotton and wool cards, &c., &c., for sale at low prices by

SWITZLER & SMITH.
Fayette, May 18th, 1844.

LINEN, BEESWAX AND WHEAT.—J. D. Perry & Co., will purchase, and pay the highest market price for Linen, Beeswax and Wheat.

Fayette, February 3d, 1844.

GENTLEMEN are respectfully invited to call at the Philadelphia store and examine our stock of Spring and Summer ready-made clothing, latest patterns; also Boots and Shoes, Hats, and a great variety of all kinds of staple Dry Goods, all of which will be offered for sale remarkably low for cash or produce.

LYONS, STEINFELD & Co.
P. S. All those who are indebted to the New York store under the old firm of J. Goodell & Co., are requested to settle their accounts before the first of June next.

J. STEINFELD.
Boonville, May 25th, 1844.

100 Dozen Palm-leaf Hats just received and for sale low for cash by

WATSON & YOSTI.
Boonville, April 20th, 1844.

Hardware and Cutlery.

A General assortment of Hardware—Knives and forks; Pocket, Butcher and shoe knives; scythes, sickles and axes; coffee mills; frying pans; augurs; Cards; spring balances for weighing; Britannia and German silver spoons; Candlesticks; snuffers and Lamps; Locks, Bolts and Latches; Trace Chains; spades, &c., &c., at the lowest prices by

SWITZLER & SMITH.
Fayette, May 18th, 1844.

To all the World who use Leather in any Form.

OIL OF TANNIN,
Or, Leather Restorer.

A new Chemical Discovery.

Most people know, that skins and hides are converted into leather by the use of Tannin extracted from certain barks, &c.

When the force and strength of the Tannin is worn out, leather becomes dead, hard, dry, brittle, cracked, covered with a crust, &c. THIS ALL KNOW. To restore then life, softness, moistness, strength, smoothness, and remove all crust, dry, or blister—restore the tannin. This substance the leather never can receive the second time; but the whole virtues of it are in this article, the OIL OF TANNIN—which penetrates the stiffest and hardest leather, if it has been twenty years in use; and if it tears easily with the fingers, it imparts at once a strength that is utterly incredible until seen. It becomes like new leather, in all respects, with a delightful softness and polish, and makes all leather completely and perfectly impervious to water—particularly boots, shoes, carriage-tops, harness, hose, trunks, and in fact all things made of leather, giving a splendid polish, even higher than new leather has, and at least doubling its wear and durability, in whatever manner the leather is used.—THESE ARE FACTS.

For sale at the Drug and Book store of Dr. Wm. R. Snellson, Fayette. Also, at the Drug store of Dr. A. R. Ober, Glasgow.

Fayette, June 8th, 1844. 12-1y

The Sick-Headache,
Either Nervous or Billious.

An attentive perusal of the following will, it is believed, fully repay all classes of readers.—Headache! This disease is one from which arises more misery to the human family than is generally supposed; not being directly fatal it is often neglected, and persons resort so much to the use of purgatives and other medicines, as to impair their general health, and often induce fatal disease. This article, Dr. SHELTON'S HEADACHE REMEDY, from Comstock & Co., now offered, seems to have overcome these difficulties. While its effects are most powerful and immediate in curing an attack or keeping it off, it is so perfectly mild and innocent as to be used for infants with the greatest ease and safety. This has now been tested by so many of the highest members of this community, as to require no further proof.

If taken a few times in as many hours, when there are indications of an approaching attack, it is sure in all cases to prevent the attack. If used for a few weeks, the premonitory symptoms gradually subside, until they wholly disappear, and never, without some great external or predisposing cause, return. If the person neglects to use it till the headache commences, it sometimes cures instantly, but at others the turps will have the course for two or three times, and then wholly disappear.

For sale at the Drug and Book store of Dr. Wm. R. Snellson, Fayette. Also, at the Drug store of Dr. A. R. Ober, Glasgow.

Fayette, June 8th, 1844. 12-1y

THE WAY TO REPROVE.

Perhaps there is nothing in the world that requires more delicacy than the mode of administering censure. Fault-finding in a peevish and a capricious spirit, can be borne with patience by very few indeed, while it requires great art, tact and forbearance, to convey reproof in a manner to have proper effect, even with our best friends or those we love the most. How often do we hear people remark, that such and such conduct is wrong and improper in a neighbor, friend or relative—and how often do they add, "and yet I would not mention the matter for the world. My motives would be misunderstood, and I might convert a friend into an enemy." The very consciousness in our own minds, that we are influenced by passions and prejudices, renders us more sensitive. We are apt to fancy, too, that a friend should overlook the weaknesses of our nature, if, indeed, not convert them into virtues. But for all this, there is little truth in that friendship, little sincerity and honesty, which seeing us persist in error, to the evident injury of reputation and character, fails either through fear or mistaken affection, to reprove and correct. Even parents permit the steady and progressive ruin of their children under their own eyes, lacking the nerve, the moral courage, if we may so



From the Kentucky Courier.

WHIG SONG.

O, what's that thing flying up the creek,
That leaves behind it such a streak?
It is a loco in full sail,
He flies so fast he's lost his tail.

CHORUS.—Clear the way the Loco's flying,
Clear the way the Loco's flying,
Clear the way the Loco's flying,
Loco Foco cause is dying.

What makes it fog beneath its weight,
As if 'twas carrying something great,
It's loaded full of NULLIFICATION,
And sinking deep in degradation.

Clear the way, &c.

Come, tell me whence that thing was brought,
And how its heavy load it got?
Hatched by Calhoun and kept in store,
And loaded late at Baltimore.

Clear the way, &c.

What makes its bill so long and flat,
There seems to be something in that?
It wants to catch the Treasury fish,
And eat them out the golden dish.

Clear the way, &c.

It seems to have so many crooks,
Tell me its name and how it looks?
It looks a little like other folk,
Its first name 's Jim, its surname 's Polk.

Clear the way, &c.

If in its history you are skilled,
Then tell me how it may be killed?
'Twill soon be brought to agonizin'
With a dose of Clay and Frelinghuysen.

Clear the way, &c.

Ha! ha! that is the candidate
The Locofoeos brought out of late?
Yes, with this thing some locos say,
They expect to beat old HARRY CLAY.

Clear the way, &c.

What means that ghastly long faced group,
Who look as if they were used up?
Its locos who to honor callous,
Have poison'd themselves with Polk and Dallas.

Clear the way, &c.

How long have they lived on the earth,
Or do you know their time of birth?
Lived sixteen years or there'll blow out,
And next November they'll blow out.

Clear the way, &c.

Can you a reason to me give,
Why these Lokies should no longer live?
Because their reign 's so full of evil,
'Twill carry them headlong to the Devil.

Clear the way, &c.

Where's the Sub-Treasury and Army bill,
Two leading items of their will?
They were by Locos long defended,
Alas! with them their days are ended.

Clear the way, &c.

What thundering sound is that which rolls,
And shakes the earth to its very poles?
It is the songs of the Whig boys risin',
A wafting Clay and Frelinghuysen.

Clear the way, &c.

Hurra, hurra, Whig songs are risin',
A wafting Clay and Frelinghuysen.

Clear the way, &c.

O! tell me what tremendous light,
Is that which o'er us shines so bright?
The Whig cause raised above the horizon,
And shines through Clay and Frelinghuysen.

Clear the way, &c.

Hurra, hurra, &c.

describe it, to correct their errors in the proper way. We would not have a child constantly scolded, abused and denounced—we would not have the gentle spirit of a girl broken—neither would we have a bad boy flogged every half hour. But a few calm words uttered in an impressive manner, and intended for the heart and understanding, a quiet lecture at the proper moment, an appeal to the better, gentler, and nobler qualities—will seldom fail to have a due effect. If a boy be undutiful or mischievous, many parents are too apt to get into a passion, and while thus excited, to make use of language and resort to means of correction, which they must repudiate in the strongest manner, in their calmer and more reflecting moments. But even in older life, between friend and friend, and man and man, the proper system of reproof is too often neglected. The multitude are too apt to answer harshness with harshness, to discover faults where none exist, to magnify slight errors into gross imperfections, and to indulge in passion and madness, when persuasion, reason, and love would prove far more cogent.

Look, gentle reader, into your own immediate neighborhood, and decide by personal observation. Select out the unhappy couples, the unharmonious and quarrelsome, and then look a little further, and inquire into the disposition of the parties. Our word for it, putulance, irritability and violence will be found somewhere. Doubtless there are cases where appeals to reason, to affection and common sense, all prove unavailing. But these, we have reason to hope, are few and far between. It is our solemn conviction, that one woman in a thousand cannot be found, who may not be influenced and controlled by the display of the milder and purer virtues, while hundreds may be converted into little better than furies, by neglect, asperity and abuse. There is nothing more delicate, nothing more sensitive than the heart of woman. It will give forth most eloquent music, when touched by the hand of love. But, we must remember that, in the language of an eloquent writer, "the fondest, the most clinging affection is often shaken by the slightest breath of unkindness, as the delicate rings and tendrils of the vine are agitated by the faint air that blows in summer. An unkind word from one beloved often draws blood from many a heart which would defy the battle-axe of hatred or the keenest edge of vindictive satire. Nay, the shade, the gloom of the face familiar and dear, awakens grief and pain."

How careful, then, should we be in administering reproof and censure to such. How careful to avoid all that may serve to excite suspicion, to dissolve the charm of confidence, to call into existence demons of doubt, where all before was trusting and devoted. To censure kindly is one thing, and unkindly another. In the first case, we may elicit a tear and a regret, followed by a smile and a promise—in the other, we may call forth feelings of vindictive retaliation, and destroy at a blow, the fabric of esteem, regard and affection that we had been building up for years.

Philadelphia Inquirer.

SHORT PATENT SERMON.

The following lines by W. M. Pread, will compose the text to my present discourse:—

Through sunny May, through sultry June,
I loved her with a love eternal;
I spoke of her praises to the moon,
I wrote them for the Sunday Journal.
My mother laughed; I soon found out
That ancient ladies have no feeling;
My father frowned; but how should gout
Find any happiness in kneeling?

We parted—months and years rolled by;
We met again, four summers after;
Our parting was all sob and sigh—
Our meeting was all mirth and laughter;

For, in my heart's most secret cell,
There had been many other lodgers;
And she was not the ball room belle,
But only Mrs.—Something—Rodgers.

My hearers—to sermonize upon the subject of Love stirs up some of the old sensibilities that have long lain dormant in my bosom's warm nest—the agitation of which I must say, creates the keenest sensation of both pleasure and pain. Love is a subject upon which I scarcely dare dilate. As often as I have attempted it, I find still that I have neither moral courage nor capacity to do it justice. It is something so refined, subtle, ethereal and unexpounded in its nature, that to analyze it I might as well attempt to grab a handful of moonshine for dissection. You have all, my matured fellow-mortals, experienced, more or less, its mysterious influences; and yet, after all, you know no more in regard to its philosophy than a mother does of the how and wherefore of the milk in her bosom.

My friends—there is a certain period in the existence of mankind, in which love is the prevailing passion—and as for exercising any control over it, you might as well undertake to prevent the sexual approaches of birds and animals in "the season of the year." Nature is nature, all the world over. Young men and women have a magnetic desire to approximate; and while they are in full glow, heat and vigor of youth, it cannot but be expected that amorous propensities will prevail. Such was the case with me, some years ago; and I feel now that a little of love's poison is still lurking in my system. I sometimes feel myself rejuvenated when I think upon the pleasures, the extacies, the enjoyments of my first love; and then again it seems to

embitter the remaining portion of life's liquor. To think that certain scenes of enjoyment among a lot of happy, gay, wild, and frolicsome lasses can never be indulged in again—to think that I once sowed the seed of affection in a rich and fertile soil, and did not attend the harvesting—is enough to inundate one's soul with the tears of sorrow.

My young hearers—I know that when one of